

Western Digital Technologies, Inc.
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In re Application of:
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Title: SECURE DISK DRIVE COMPRISING A
SECURE DRIVE KEY AND A DRIVE ID
FOR IMPLEMENTING SECURE
COMMUNICATION OVER A PUBLIC
NETWORK

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313

Dear Sir,

In response to an a final office action mailed on 5/13/2004 for the above-identified patent application (a petition for a one month extension is included herewith), please consider the following remarks: